

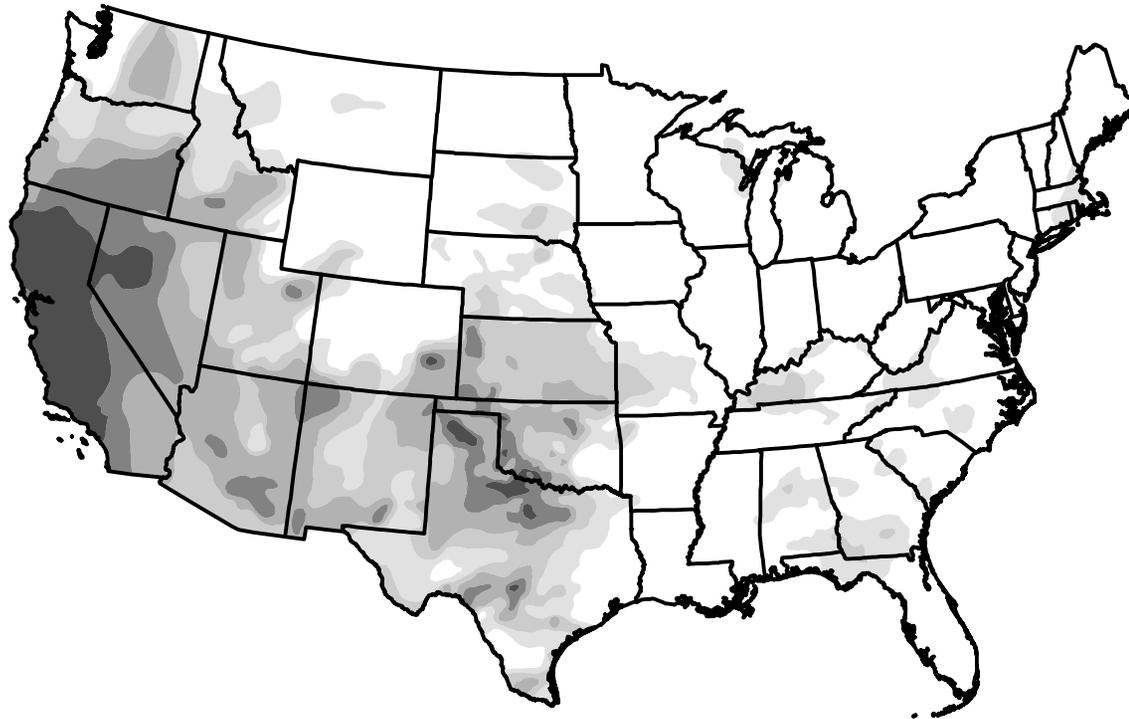
# U.S. Drought Monitor

## U.S. States and Puerto Rico

**August 5, 2014**  
 (Released Thursday, Aug. 7, 2014)  
 Valid 8 a.m. EDT

*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
<b>Current</b>	60.18	39.81	28.36	18.54	8.52	3.21
<b>Last Week</b> <i>07-29-2014</i>	60.20	39.79	28.47	19.02	8.85	3.26
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>05-06-2014</i>	57.15	42.84	33.47	23.68	12.11	3.72
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>12-31-2013</i>	54.20	45.79	26.01	13.96	3.31	0.31
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>10-01-2013</i>	44.20	55.79	37.21	17.33	2.56	0.24
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>08-06-2013</i>	43.22	56.77	41.37	27.32	10.01	2.32



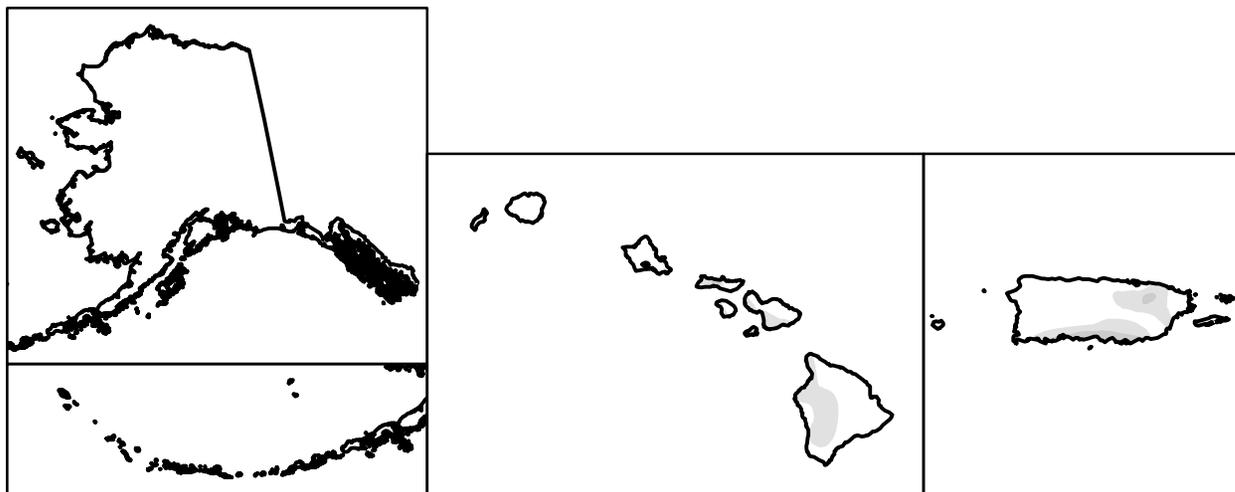
**Intensity:**



*The Drought Monitor focuses on broad-scale conditions. Local conditions may vary. For more information on the Drought Monitor, go to <https://droughtmonitor.unl.edu/About.aspx>*

**Author:**

Brad Rippey  
 U.S. Department of Agriculture



**droughtmonitor.unl.edu**